

Ft. Pierre Calf Auction (Wed-Seasonal) - Ft. Pierre, SD AMS Livestock, Poultry, & Grain Market News South Dakota Dept of Ag Mrkt News

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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 4/23/2021 - Final

AUCTION			
	This Week	Last Reported 2/12/2021	Last Year
Total Receipts:	6,160	5,636	0
Feeder Cattle:	6,160(100.0%)	5,636(100.0%)	0(0.0%)

Compared to two weeks ago: Feeder steers 5.00 to 10.00 lower, except 850-900 lbs 1.00 to 2.00 lower. Feeder heifers under 700 lbs 10.00 to 15.00 lower, over 700 lbs 5.00 lower except 800-850 lbs steady to 1.00 lower. Moderate to good demand for grass cattle and feeding type cattle, very good demand for the many consignments of replacement quality heifers. Many long strings, including one consignment of 1080 head of steers and heifers, which saw many full load lots. There were numerous smaller consignments which allowed buyers to put together small bunches and fill out their loads. The severe drought conditions, extreme drought in the northwest and north central part of the state, are causing many heifers to come to town that otherwise would never leave the ranch until they were a broken mouth cow. Cattle feeders are trying to get cattle bought in line with a rapidly declining futures market and an exploding corn market. The market was still fairly active as the quality was so attractive and the flesh condition was light overall. Many cattle were just roughed along this winter and stayed kicked out on grass and showed a lot of compensatory gain which really helped to sell them as costs of gain are so important in a tough market. CME Feeder Cattle futures contracts posted gains of nearly 2.00 but corn futures gained another 7 cents with May at 6.58. Next special feeder cattle sale will be May 7, 2021. Supply included: 100% Feeder Cattle (48% Steers, 50% Heifers, 2% Bulls). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 80%.

FEEDER CATTLE

STEERS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	
23	391	391	189.00	189.00	
10	351	351	202.00	202.00	Thin Fleshed
12	425-449	439	185.00-194.00	188.63	
51	451-494	463	178.00-185.00	179.86	
43	483-499	496	195.00	195.00	Thin Fleshed
46	507-533	512	176.00-185.50	183.78	
13	538	538	162.00	162.00	Fleshy
11	521	521	187.00	187.00	Thin Fleshed
189	561-599	571	167.00-178.00	172.18	
267	603-646	626	159.50-168.00	164.04	
205	660-680	670	151.00-159.00	155.64	
433	701-749	721	145.00-151.00	148.95	
151	705-732	719	159.50	159.50	Natural
93	780-794	783	135.50-142.50	140.97	
776	805-846	833	132.00-141.50	139.54	
191	854-856	855	135.00-141.50	138.18	
7	913	913	126.50	126.50	

STEERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

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<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price			
5	397	397	196.00	196.00	Thin Fleshed		
7	569	569	176.00	176.00			
12	572	572	174.50	174.50	Thin Fleshed		
17	651	651	151.50	151.50			
22	997	997	120.00	120.00			
HEIFERS -	HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)						

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356-399	363	170.00-174.00	173.31	
457-493	481	149.00-163.50	154.54	
517-541	527	143.00-148.00	145.51	
552-588	585	137.00-150.00	145.76	
602-643	626	134.50-145.00	138.79	
651-693	670	132.00-136.50	133.88	
714-717	716	131.00-133.50	131.44	
711-736	725	134.00-146.00	137.11	Replacement
750-789	770	121.50-134.50	129.75	
758-782	774	139.00-150.00	142.47	Replacement
808-844	815	120.50-129.25	128.05	
810-842	817	131.50-165.00	142.81	Replacement
872	872	116.00	116.00	Fleshy
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HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price	
6	453	453	142.00	142.00	
78	666	666	145.50	145.50	Thin Fleshed

HEIFERS - Medium 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
5	458	458	142.00	142.00
24	567	567	134.00	134.00

BULLS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
82	542	542	171.00	171.00

BULLS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
9	745	745	127.50	127.50
8	793	793	126.00	126.00



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